BRIDPORT
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Medical Officer of Health

AND THE

Senior Public Health Inspector

for the Year

1964

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North Allington,
Bridport.

May, 1965.

To the Chairman, and Members of the
Bridport Rural District Council.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present to you my Annual Report for the year 1964.

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Some comment must be made on the consideration being given by this Council to the provision of conveniences on lay-bys. The fouling of these lay-bys becomes worse each year with the increasing volume of traffic, particularly along the A35, and it is hoped to provide a

toilet block on this road in the near future.

I must express my thanks to members and officials of the Council for the co-operation, consideration and help I have received during my first year as Medical Officer of Health. I am also grateful to Mr. Newman, the Senior Public Health Inspector for his assistance in preparing this report.

Your obedient servant,

John G MacLean

Medical Officer of Health.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

Chairman. Councillor J.C.F. Gundry.

Vice Chairman. Councillor A.A.J. Palmer.

Councillor H.J.H. Bartlett. Councillor Lt. Col. H.J.G. Weld.

Councillor Mrs M.E. Buck. Councillor F.H. White.

Councillor Mrs E. Male. Councillor H. Williams.

Councillor A.J.B. Pitcher.

Ex officio Councillor R.B. Howarth. Chairman of the Council.

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PUBLIC HEALTH STAFF.

Medical Officer of Health.....Adam Armit, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.
retired 30/6/64.
John G. Meadows, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.
as from 1/7/64.

Also Medical Officer of Health for Bridport and Lyme Regis Borough Councils and Beaminster Rural District Council, and Senior Assistant County Medical Officer. 5/11 of time allocated to Dorset County Council and 6/11 shared between the four District Councils.

Senior Public Health Inspector....J.R. Newman, A.M.I. Mun. E., M.R.S.H.,
Additional Public Health Inspector.B.C. Wilmot, M.R.S.H. (part-time)
(commenced 1/8/64 resigned 31/12/64)
Public Health Inspector, for
meat inspection.....E.E. Roughton, M.A.P.H.I., A.R.S.H..
(commenced 8/5/64)
Rodent Operator.....A. Hayson. (part-time)
Clerk to the Medical Officer.....Miss B.E. Lawrence.
Clerk to the Senior P.H.I.....Mrs B.E. Chard. (part-time)
(resigned 25/12/64)

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STATISTICS OF THE AREA.

Area in acres.	31,843.
Registrar General's estimate of population	7,820.
No. of inhabited houses (according to the Rate Books as at end of 1964)	3,070.
Rateable Value.	£211,204.
Sum represented by a Penny Rate	£837.

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EXTRACTS FROM VITAL STATISTICS.

Area Comparability Factor. Births - 1.36 Deaths - 0.75

This is worked out for each district by the Registrar General. Its object is to level out differences in the age and sex constitution of the populations of the various districts and its use allows statistical comparison to be made between different areas.

Live Births.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Total Registered....	46	33	79
Legitimate.....	44	31	75
Illegitimate.....	2	2	4

Live Birth Rate per 1,000 population :- Crude 10.10 Corrected 13.73

Illegitimate Live Births per cent of total Live Births :- 5.05

Still Births.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Total Registered...	0	2	2
Legitimate.....	0	2	2
Illegitimate.....	0	0	0

Still-birth Rate per 1,000 live and still-births :- 24.69

Total Live and Still-births.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Total Registered.	46	35	81

Deaths (all ages)	Male.	Female.	Total.
Total Registered.	52	53	105

Death Rate per 1,000 population :- Crude 13.43 Corrected 10.07

Deaths of Infants.	Males.			Females.		
	Legit.	Illegit.	Total.	Legit.	Illegit.	Total.
Under 1 year of age.	2	0	2	0	0	0
Under 4 weeks of age.	2	0	2	0	0	0
Under 1 week of age.	2	0	2	0	0	0

Infant Mortality Rates.

Total Infant Deaths per 1,000 total live births..... 25.30
Legitimate " " " 1,000 " legitimate live births..... 26.66
Illegitimate " " 1,000 " illegitimate live births..... 0
Neo-natal Mortality Rate(deaths under 4 weeks per 1,000 total live births25.30
Early Neo-natal " " (deaths under 1 week per 1,000 total live births25.30
Perinatal " " (still-births and deaths under 1 wk. combined per 1,000 total live and still-births) 49.38

Maternal Mortality (including abortion)

Number of deaths..... 0
Rate per 1,000 total live and still-births..... 0

OTHER VITAL STATISTICS.

	1935	1940	1950	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Population	6947	7993	7729	7650	7650	7800	7810	7820
Rateable Value	£31067	£32027	£34772	£75495	£77883	£80483	£204444	£211204
Estimated Produce of a Penny Rate	£120	£136	£143	£293	£308	£320	£800	£837
BIRTHS.								
Live Births	57	90	109	107	99	84	107	79
Legitimate	56	80	105	105	91	79	101	75
Illegitimate	1	4	4	2	8	5	6	4
Still Births	0	5	4	2	3	3	2	2
Live Birth Rate (crude)	8.3	11.3	14.1	14	12.9	10.8	13.7	10.1
Live Birth Rate (corrected)	N.A.	N.A.	16.2	16.9	15.7	13	18.6	13.7
Live Birth Rate (Eng. & Wales)	14.7	14.6	15.8	17.1	17.4	18.0	18.2	18.4
Still Birth Rate(Eng. & Wales)	41	37	23	19.7	18.7	18.1	17.3	16.3
DEATHS.								
Total Deaths	75	113	110	99	103	101	114	105
Death Rate (crude)	10.8	11.3	14.2	12.9	13.5	13	14.6	13.4
Death Rate (corrected)	N.A.	N.A.	10.1	9.6	10.1	9.7	10.9	10.1
Death Rate (Eng. & Wales)	11.7	14.3	11.6	11.5	12.0	11.9	12.2	11.3
INFANT MORTALITY.								
Deaths under 1 year	N.A.	3	1	1	2	0	1	2
Infantile Death Rate	N.A.	31.6	9.2	9.3	20.2	0	9.3	25.3
Infantile Death Rate (Eng. & Wales)	57	55	29.8	21.7	21.4	20.7	20.9	20.0
Neonatal Death Rate (Eng. & Wales)	30	30	19	15.6	15.5	15.1	14.2	13.8
MATERNAL DEATHS.								
Maternal Deaths	N.A.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Maternal Mortality Rate	N.A.	0	0	0	9.8	0	0	0
Maternal Mortality Rate (Eng. & Wales)	3.9	2.2	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3

N.A. = Not available.

Causes of Death at different periods of life.
Registrar General's Official Return.

Causes of Death.

			Totals.
No.	3.	Syphilitic disease.	1.
	10.	Malignant neoplasm, stomach.	2.
	11.	Malignant neoplasm, lung, bronchus.	4.
	12.	Malignant neoplasm, breast.	4.
	13.	Malignant neoplasm, uterus.	1.
	14.	Other malignant and lymphatic neoplasms.	14.
	17.	Vascular lesions of nervous system.	19.
	18.	Coronary disease, angina.	13.
	19.	Hypertension with heart disease.	3.
	20.	Other heart disease.	12.
	21.	Other circulatory disease.	4.
	23.	Pneumonia.	8.
	24.	Bronchitis.	2.
	26.	Ulcer of stomach and duodenum.	1.
	27.	Gastritis, Enteritis and Diarrhoea.	1.
	28.	Nephritis and nephrosis.	2.
	31.	Congenital Malformations.	1.
	32.	Other defined and ill-defined diseases.	7.
	33.	Motor vehicle accidents.	1.
	34.	All other accidents.	5
		Total.	105.

Where a cause of death and code number is omitted there have been no deaths from this cause.

Causes of Death at different periods of life.
Registrar General's Official Return.

	Total all ages.		Under 4 weeks.		4 weeks & under 1 year.		1-		5-		15-		25-		35-		45-		55-		65-		75 & over.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
.3.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
10.	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
11.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
12.	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
13.	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14.	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	2	-	6	1
17.	8	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	2	3	4	6
18.	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	4	-	3	1
19.	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-
20.	2	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	9
21.	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
23.	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	1	2
24.	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
26.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27.	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
28.	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
31.	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32.	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	2
33.	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
34.	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
	52	53	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	4	3	10	8	15	9	18	30

* Numbers refer to causes of death listed on opposite page.

PREVALENCE OF, AND CONTROL OVER, INFECTIOUS AND OTHER DISEASES.

The number of cases of infectious diseases notified continued at a low level and no deaths occurred.

There have been no cases of diphtheria or poliomyelitis notified and this is a direct result of the high level of immunisation against these diseases.

Infectious Diseases notified during 1964.

DISEASES.	Total.	Under 1 year.	1	2	3	4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+
Erysipelas.....	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Measles.....	36	-	2	3	3	4	20	4	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia.....	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	2
Scarlet Fever....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tuberculosis (Pul)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Whooping Cough...	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Totals.	49	-	3	3	3	4	23	4	-	2	2	5

Quarterly Notifications.

DISEASES.	Total.	1st. Qrt.	2nd. Qrt.	3rd. Qrt.	4th. Qrt.
Erysipelas....	3	1	1	-	1
Measles.....	36	3	3	11	19
Pneumonia.....	6	3	1	-	2
Scarlet Fever..	1	-	-	1	-
Tuberculosis (Pul)	1	-	-	-	1
Whooping Cough.	2	1	1	-	-
Totals.	49	8	6	12	23

Infectious Disease Notifications for Comparison.

DISEASES.	1937	1940	1950	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Diphtheria.....	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Erysipelas.....	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	3
Food Poisoning.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Scarlet Fever.....	30	5	11	5	5	5	1	1
Enteric Fever (inc. Typhoid).....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerperal Pyrexia.....	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Poliomyelitis.....	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dysentery.....	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-
Encephalitis Lethargica.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia.....	7	2	3	5	4	9	9	6
Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	2	5	3	2	6	1	-	1
Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	2	1	-	1	-	2	1	-
Measles.....	-	93	112	24	111	16	176	36
Whooping Cough.....	-	-	37	4	4	-	2	2
Totals.	44	117	175	42	127	35	191	49

Tuberculosis.

Only one case of tuberculosis was notified during the year and the steady decline in the incidence of this disease has continued.

There were no deaths from this disease.

Cases on the Tuberculosis Register.

	Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.
Total cases on the register at end of 1963.	13	8	4	3
New cases notified during 1964.	1	-	-	-
Cases from other areas who have come to live in the District.	1	1	-	-
Removed from register as non-tubercular.	-	-	-	-
Removed from register - cured.	2	3	-	-
Deaths during 1964.	-	-	-	-
Total on register at end of 1964.	11	6	4	3

Average yearly incidence.

	New Cases.		Deaths.	
	Pulmonary.	Non-Pulmonary.	Pulmonary.	Non-Pulmonary.
1940 - 1949.	4.8	2.5	2.1	0.3
1950 - 1959.	3.2	0.8	0.8	0.1
1960 - 1965.	2	0.8	1.2	0

Total Cases on the Tuberculosis Register Pulmonary and Non-Pulmonary.

	Cases.		Cases.
1946.	32.	1957.	22.
1947.	34.	1958.	30.
1948.	29.	1959.	30.
1949.	24.	1960.	30.
1950.	23.	1961.	33.
1951.	24.	1962.	33.
1952.	23.	1963.	28.
1953.	21.	1964.	24.
1954.	23.		
1955.	22.		
1956.	22.		

Immunisation.

This is the responsibility of the Dorset County Council and either carried out by the family doctor or at the Health Centre and schools.

The following table shows the number who were immunised.

P. = Primary dose. R. = Reinforcing dose.

POLIOMYELITIS.					DIPHTHERIA.		TETANUS.		WHOOPING COUGH.		SMALLPOX.	
ORAL.		SALK.										
3 doses.	R.	P.	3rd.	4th.	P.	R.	P.	R.	P.	R.	P.	R.
85.	122.	2.	2.	1.	89.	118.	109.	122.	88.	79.	71.	24.

** B.C.G. Immunisation against Tuberculosis.					
No. in Group.	Tested.	Positive.	Negative.	Vaccinated.	Absent.
190.	168.	14.	141.	141.	22.

** This figure includes children from Bridport Borough and a few from Beaminster and Dorchester Rural Districts who attend the Colfox School.

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DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

Joint Sewerage Scheme.

During 1964 much preparatory work was carried out on this scheme with the object of submitting the outline proposals to the Ministry of Housing and Local Government. Some difficulties were experienced in finding a suitable site for the proposed pumping station at West Bay but these were ultimately overcome to the satisfaction of all interested Authorities.

By the end of November, 1964 the three constituent Councils had adopted formally the Consulting Engineer's outline proposals and the necessary applications have been made for the Minister's approval.

It is hoped that the Minister will soon make known just how he intends to proceed with regard to any public local enquiry or other investigation.

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MILK SUPPLY.

Since 1961, the responsibility for the issue of licences for the use of special designation in connection with milk, or the registration of distributors was transferred from the Council to the Dorset County Council under the Milk (Special Designation) Regulations, 1960. The County Council, however, have continued to keep this Council informed regarding the number of samples taken and the analyses of these. During the year 51 samples were taken and all passed the prescribed test. 8 Dealers' licences to sell pre-packed milk and 2 Dealers' licences to sell untreated milk were issued.

The Milk (Special Designation) Regulations 1963.

As from the 1st. October, 1964 the special designation for raw milk became 'untreated' instead of 'tuberculin tested'. The special designations for heat treated milk remain unaltered.

The Milk and Dairies (Preservative) Regulations 1962.

This regulation came into force on 26/7/62. It makes it illegal for a person to add any preservative to milk or to sell milk to which any preservative has been added.

The Milk and Dairies Regulations 1949. Section 20.

It was not necessary to invoke these regulations during the year.

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SCHOOLS.

These are regularly inspected. All have water closets, piped water and washing facilities. All are supplied daily with Pasteurised milk.

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NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948.
Section 47, Removal of Persons in need of Care and Attention to suitable premises.

There were cases during the year where it was necessary to proceed under this section of the Act.

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To the Chairman and Councillors
of the Rural District of Bridport.

Annual Report for 1964.

I present for your consideration the following report on our work in 1964.

On the 8th of May, 1964, Mr. E.E. Roughton joined the staff as Public Health (Meat) Inspector, and thereby filled the vacancy created when Mr. Dennis left us on the 19th December of the previous year. The Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963, came into force on the 1st August, 1964 and from that date Mr. B.C. Wilmot took up an appointment part-time with Bridport Rural District and part-time with Lyme Regis Borough Councils. Mr. Wilmot left us on the 31st December, 1964 to rejoin the Colonial Service. Mrs. B.E. Chard, who was part-time Typist/Clerk to the department, left on the 25th December, 1964 and Miss J. Whetham joined the staff in that capacity, but full-time, as from the 31st December.

I am grateful for the support received from members of the Council and for the help and advice of chief officers and other colleagues. To Dr. A. Armit, who retired as Medical Officer of Health in mid 1964, I would express my thanks for the happy associations enjoyed with him since 1940.

Senior Public Health Inspector.

WATER SUPPLIES.

West Dorset Water Board.

In February, 1964 the Water Board completed Phase 2 of its Regional Scheme except for the provision of equipment at Hooke pumping station. This programme included the provision of reservoirs at South Perrott, Bunkers Hill and Hooke.

A substantial amount of work has been completed on Phase 4 and work on Phase 5 is in hand. The mains to Pymore hamlet were laid as a matter of urgency.

During the year because of the dry weather contamination of the Chideock supply occurred from time to time and made it necessary for the water to be boiled before drinking. This supply is under the control of a small private company and the Board are willing to expedite the arrangements for bringing the public supply into the area. There was also some shortage of water in this area and at Whitchurch Canonicorum and Morcombelake.

Re-grouping of Water Undertakings in the Areas of West and Mid-Dorset.

The Enquiry into the re-grouping of the water undertakings was held in July, and in December the Minister said he intended to make an Order on the original draft.

West Dorset Water Board Phasing of Regional Scheme.

Phase.		Proposed Date.
2.	Main from Reservoir No. 16 to Stoke Abbott. Construction of Reservoir No. 12 Bunkers Hill. Main from Reservoir No. 12 to Uploders. Construction of Reservoir No. 19 South Perrott. Mains to Reservoir No. 19 and to Chedington, Mosterton and South Perrott. Main from Bradpole to Loders. Main from Reservoir No. 6 to Broadoak. Mains from Bridport to Symondsbury. Main from Shipton Gorge to Burton Bradstock. Main from Hooke pumping station to Reservoir No. 25. and Hooke village. Construction of Reservoir No. 25. Provision of pumping equipment at Hooke pumping station	1962 to 1964
3.	Trunk Main from Litton Cheney to R.6 and site works at Litton Cheney.	Dec. 1963 - Dec. 1965.
4.	Development of Litton Cheney source with pumps and treatment. Construction of Booster No. 6 at R.6.	Mar. 1964 - Dec. 1964.

West Dorset Water Board Phasing of Regional Scheme continued.

Phase.		Proposed Date.
5.	Mains from R.16 to R.3 (Hardown Hill) Construction of R.3. Main from R.3 to Whitchurch Canonicorum. Booster No. 3 at Whitchurch Canonicorum. Construction of R.4 and R.8 (Morcombelake) Mains to Whitchurch Canonicorum. Morcombelake and Ryall.	Mar. 1964 to Mar. 1965.
6.	Mains from Broadwindsor to :- Burstock, Seaborough, Drimpton, Birdsnoor Gate, Marshwood, Thorncombe and Holditch. Construction of R.13 (Thorncombe). Construction of R.15 (North of Burstock) Mains to Walditch. Mains to Meerhay. Construction of Booster No. 4 (Broadoak) Main from Booster No. 4 to R.3. Main from R.3 to Chideock and Seatown. Main from Whitchurch Canonicorum to Charmouth and Catherston Leweston. Construction of R.2 (Charmouth)	Mar. 1965. to Mar. 1966.
7.	Main from Broadoak to Bettisconbe and Pilsdon. Booster Station No. 5 (Miles Cross) Mains to West Road, Eype etc. Construction of R.11 (West Road) Mains to Maytown. Construction of R.5 Bettisconbe.	Mar. 1966. to Mar. 1967.
8.	Main from R.7 via Melplash to Mangerton. Main from R.25 to R.26 and Powerstock. West Milton and Mangerton. Construction of R.26 (Powerstock).	Mar. 1967. to Mar. 1968.
9.	Mains from R.18 to Chelborough and Evershot. Mains from R.18 to Rampisham and Wraxall. Mains from R.18 to Melbury. Construction of R.22 (Rampisham) Construction of R.23 (Evershot) and R.24 (East Chelborough)	Mar. 1968. to Mar. 1969.
10.	Mains from Whitchurch Canonicorum to High Level District of Charmouth. Construction of R.1 (Charmouth) Mains and Boosters for Monkton Wylde and Fishponds. Main from Broadoak to Moorbath. Main from Sansons Cross to Whitchurch Canonicorum.	Mar. 1969. to Mar. 1970.
11.	Supply to Mapperton and Construction of R.20 (near Mapperton)	Mar. 1970. to Mar. 1971.

Water Analyses.

Copy of Report from the Counties Public Health Laboratories, London. 31/12/62.

Chemical Results in Parts per Million.

	Hooke Source.	Beaminster Langdon Source.	Corscombe Source.	Litton Cheney Heading.
Appearance.	Clear & bright.	Bright with a very slight deposit.	Clear & bright	Bright with a few particles.
Colour.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
pH.	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
Electric Conductivity.	510	490	500	430
Chlorine present as Chloride.	13	13	13	19
Hardness : total.	270	260	260	215
Carbonate.	240	235	235	195
Non-Carbonate.	30	25	25	20
Nitrate Nitrogen.	2.8	2.9	2.2	2.7
Ammoniacal Nitrogen.	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Albuminoid Nitrogen.	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Iron.	Absent.	0.04	Absent.	Absent.
Manganese.	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05
Zinc, Copper, Lead.	Absent.	Absent.	Absent.	Absent.
Fluoride.	0.10	0.15	0.10	less than 0.1
Turbidity.	Nil.	less than 3	Nil.	less than 3
Odour.	Nil	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Free Carbon Dioxide.	22	22	21	19
Dissolved Solids Dried at 180 C.	350	340	340	300
Alkalinity as Calcium Carbonate.	240	235	235	195
Nitrite Nitrogen.	Absent.	Absent.	Absent.	Absent.
Oxygen Absorbed.	0.10	0.10	0.20	0.05
Residual Chlorine.	...	...	...	...

From the aspect of the chemical analyses these results are indicative of a pure and wholesome water suitable for public supply purposes.

Flouridation of Water Samples.

The majority of Councils in West Dorset agreed in 1963 to support the Dorset County Council should proposals be put forward for flouridation of Water Supplies in order to reduce the incidence of dental decay. At the end of the year no further progress had been made in this matter.

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Other Water Supplies.

Although the West Dorset Water Board are responsible for the major part of the supply in the area the Council still retain responsibility for water supplies to their own housing estates at Morcombelake and Uploders, both of which it is hoped, will be served by mains supplies in 1965. The Water Board have not as yet taken over some privately owned public supplies in the district and these are as follows:-

(a) Chideock Water Works Co., Ltd.
(b) Colfox Estate, Moorbath.
(c) Hastead's Supply, Morcombelake.
(d) Jackson's Supply, Stonebarrow.
(e) Pass Family Trust Supply, Wootton Fitzpaine.
(f) Ryall Resident's Supply.
(g) Whitchurch Water Works Co., Ltd.

The following table shows the results of the bacteriological analysis carried out during the year of various water supplies:-

Supplies		Satisfactory	Suspicious	Unsatisfactory	Total
West Dorset	Source	58	2	11	71
Water Board	Consumer	101	4	25	130
Local	Source	-	-	-	-
Authority	Consumer	4	1	1	6
Private	Source	2	-	7	9
	Consumer	9	5	17	31
Public	Source	3	-	2	5
Supplies	Consumer	6	1	9	16
TOTALS		183	13	72	268

A satisfactory chemical analysis from a private source was obtained during the year.

In connection with water supplies I made 106 visits during the year.

See tables at the end of the report for supplies to individual parishes.

2. Drainage and Sewerage.

Although progress has been achieved and the Council have provided approximately one village sewerage scheme each year, in a large portion of the district the drainage is still generally unsatisfactory and crude untreated sewage is discharged into the nearest watercourse in most cases. Main drainage is now available in Bothenhampton (village and Walditch), Bradpole (Beaminster Road, East Road and Coneygar Road),

Burton Bradstock, Catherston Leweston, Charmouth, Puncknowle (village), Shipton Gorge and Symondsbury (West Bay). Unsatisfactory main drainage or unsewered areas exist at Allington, Askerswell, Bradpole (village and Pymore); Chideock (village, North Chideock and Seatown), and Chilcombe, Litton Cheney, Loders (village, Uploders, Yondover and Natravers), Puncknowle (West Bexington), Symondsbury (village, Broadoak, Eype and Natton), Swyre, Whitchurch Canonicorum (village, Morcombelake, Ryall and Fishpond Bottom) and Wootton Fitzpaine (village and Monkton Wyld). Dwellings in these latter areas are normally drained to private septic tanks.

In connection with sewerage and drainage I made 24 visits during the year, but this does not include visits where overflowing septic tanks or other drainage nuisances existed. Drainage problems arose in Charmouth and Burton Bradstock due to septic tank effluents being discharged into clay, and it is hoped that both areas involved will have an extension sewer provided by 1966.

3. Litter

In connection with litter 75 visits were made during the year. In August I made a survey of all verges, laybys, etc., on the main motoring roads in the district and found a serious state of affairs existed both from the deposit of litter and the fouling of surrounding lands by faeces, etc. The Council hope to operate a more effective anti-litter campaign during 1965 and to introduce public conveniences on the major laybyes.

No abandoned motor vehicles were dealt with under the provisions of The Removal of Vehicles Regulations, 1961.

4. Eradication of Vermin and Rodent Control.

Twenty four pest or vermin infestations were dealt with during the year by the Rodent Operator as follows:-

Pharaoh's Ants	1	Hornets	3
Wild Bees	1	Moles	8
Human Flea	3	Wasps	6
House Fly	2		

Total..... 24

In this connection I made 4 visits, and in relation to infectious diseases I made 115 visits during 1964, the majority of which concerned the tracing of suspect tins of corned beef following the Aberdeen typhoid outbreak. No terminal disinfections were carried out in connection with infectious diseases.

The part time Rodent Operator continued to give excellent service during the year, and carried out disinfestations and surveys of private dwellings, business premises and lands. Disinfestation works are free except in respect of business premises and the Council have 15 contracts for rodent control works at agricultural and business premises. Sewer treatments and refuse tip controls are regularly carried out. 14 major infestations (more than 20 rats) were treated during 1964. Deatils of infestations dealt with, together with the comparative figures for the last 3 years, are as follows:-

	1961	1962	1963	1964
No. of complaints received	120	87	133	181
No. of infestations found by survey	98	102	44	64
No. of disinfestations carried out	218	189	177	245
" " " in private dwellings	127	91	67	152
" " " in business premises	70	78	84	72
" " " in L.A. Premises	21	20	26	21
No. of annual rodent control contracts held	18	14	16	15
Value " " " " "	£117	£99	£130	£116
No. of dead rats recovered	745	703	1,262	1,634
No. of informal notices covered under Prevention of Damage by Pests Act	1	-	-	-
No. of informal notices complied with	1	-	-	-
No. of statutory notices served.	-	-	-	-

4. Caravan and Camping Sites.

During 1964 licenses had been issued by the Council authorising the stationing of 218 tents on 6 sites (varying from 12 to 50 tents on a site) and in addition the Camping Club of Great Britain and Ireland issued a certificate for 100 tents on 1 site in the district. The total number of licensed tenting sites is therefore 7, containing 318 tents.

Caravan sites within the Rural District are licensed under the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960 and at the end of the seasonal period the position was as follows:-

37 sites in the district authorised to contain 21 residential caravans, 1,135 seasonal and 130 touring caravans, a total of 1,286 caravans.

In addition nine sites in the rural district held certificates issued by various exempted organisations authorising 100 caravan standings for their touring members.

Within the district there are therefore, 46 sites containing 1,386 caravans, of which 230 are specifically for touring purposes.

During the year the Council refused to increase the number of caravans authorised on one site licence by the addition of 44 caravans and at the end of the year there were three applications pending in respect of two new sites and an increase of 29 on an existing site.

One discontinuence order involved a site containing 16 caravans and became operative on the 14th of April.

As licensees have required the Council have amended their site licence so that the seasonal use period now extends from the 16th of March to the 31st of October.

Five informal notices under the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act were served during the year and all were complied with or had been made a subject of a site licence application by the end of the year.

In connection with caravans and camping sites, 70 visits were made during the year.

5. Smoke Abatement

No nuisances were reported during 1964 regarding smoke emission and no visits were made.

6. Noise Abatement

Complaints were received and four visits were made in connection with a noise nuisance arising from a barking dog at Shipton Gorge. This nuisance was abated following the service of an informal notice.

7. Removal of Dead Animals.

One dead bull calf, found on the beach at Charmouth was removed and buried, it being impossible to trace the owner.

8. Offices, Shops & Railway Premises.

This Act came into operation on the 1st of August, 1964 and an officer employed part time by this Council and part time by Lyme Regis Borough Council commenced work on that day to deal with the matter

By the end of the year 41 registrations had been made and a total of 169 visits were made to all types of premises to establish whether or not the Act was applicable to them.

71 visits of an exploratory character were made and 48 of these were in respect of employers who were, at that time not covered by the Act for one reason or the other.

The weakness of the Act seems to lie in a definition affecting six hotels in the district where labour is employed, often seasonally, and where the employers escape registration because the dining rooms and bars are said not to be principally for serving non-residents. No applications for exemptions under the four relevant sections were made during the year.

39 general inspections were carried out and 30 informal notices served. These informal notices required the abatement of various contraventions as here under.

Sections	Heading	No. of premises concerned.
49	Registration	2
6	Temperature	20
8	Lighting	1
9	Sanitary Conveniences	4
10	Washing Facilities	7
11	Drinking Water	2
14	Seats for sedentary workers	1
18	Cleaning of Machinery	4
19	Dangerous Machinery	10
24	First Aid	28
27	Dangerous Acts.	2

The various types of premises and the details of employees are given below:-

The 137 employees can be further divided as between 90 females and 47 males.

Class of Premises	No. of premises registered during 1964	No of registered premises receiving general inspection during 1964.	No. of persons employed in registered premises
Offices	6	6	15
Retail Shops	19	18	52
Wholesale Shops, Warehouses	-	-	-
Catering Establishments	16	14	69
Fuel Storage depot	-	-	1
	41	38	137

Other factors supervised under the Act concern the cleanliness of the premises, overcrowding, ventilation, eating facilities and the general welfare and safety of those employed.

9. Agriculture

No inspections under the Agriculture (Safety, Health and Welfare Provisions) Act, 1956 were carried out during 1964, and only 40 of the estimated 253 agricultural units within the district (in other words, 16%) have been inspected since this Act became operative.

No. of Agricultural Units Inspected to 31.12.64	37
No. of Horticultural Premises Inspected to 31.12.64	1
No. of Forestry Premises Inspected to 31.12.64.	2

10. National Assistance Act.

Five visits under Section 50 of the Act were carried out during the year.

11. Sanitary Inspections of the Area

(a) Number of complaints received under the Public Health Act, 1936	48
(b) Number of visits made under the Public Health Act (Nuisances)	116
(c) Miscellaneous inspections and visits	-

12. Informal notices under the Public Health Act, 1936.

	Served	Complied With
Informal notices under the Public Health Acts.	13	12 Note 1
Statutory notices under the Public Health Acts.	2	3 Note 1
Abatement orders under the Public Health Acts.		
Informal notices under the Water Acts.		
Statutory notices under the Water Acts.	1	1

Note 1. Includes one notice served in 1963.

13. Animal Boarding Establishments.

The Animal Boarding Establishments Act, 1963 came into operation on the 1st of January and one premise is registered in this district, to accommodate 24 dogs and 6 cats at one time and complies with the various hygiene and construction standards.

14. Slaughterhouses.

There is one licensed privately owned slaughterhouse at Bradpole and meat is transported from there to wholesalers and retailers in and outside the Rural District.

Eight employees at this slaughterhouse hold licences, issued under the Slaughter of Animals Act, 1958.

Meat Inspection is carried out by the Council's own staff but from the begining of the year until Mr. Roughton took up his duties early in May a hundred percent meat inspection service was maintained by employing part time inspectors to assist me.

During 1964 249 visits were paid to the Slaughterhouse, but this figure does not of course include the daily visits by the Meat Inspector.

31,777 animals were killed and inspected during 1964 and 21¼ tons or 1.3% of meat were condemned. The following condemnations were made:-

Carcases and Offals inspected and condemned in whole or in part.

	Cattle ex. Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs.	Goats
Number killed	948	424	795	2,958	4,198	3
Number Inspected	948	424	795	2,958	4,198	3
All Diseased except Tuberculosis and Cysticerci						
Whole carcases condemned	15	9	31	50	28	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	566	218	39	2146	3414	-
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than tuberculosis and cysticerci	61.2%	51.6%	4.18%	13.0%	29.4%	-
Tuberculosis only.						
Whole carcases condemned	2	-	-	-	7	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	19	3	-	-	184	-
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis	2.23%	0.68%	-	-	1.64%	-
Cysticercosis.						
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carcases submitted to treatment by refrigeration	3	3	-	-	-	-
Generalised and totally condemned	-	-	-	-	-	-

	CONDEMNATIONS			
	CARCASES		OFFAL	
	Total 1	Partial 2	Total 3	Partial 4
ADULT CATTLE				
Tuberculosis	2	5	2	14
Johne's disease	1	-	1	2
Actinobacillosis (-mycosis)	-	10	-	9
Septicaemic conditions	3		3	
Pneumonia and/or Pleurisy	3	4	10	23
Peritonitis	-	-	1	12
Mastitis	-	-	-	2
Hepatic abscess	-	-	27	30
Fascioliasis	-	-	102	351
Parasitic pneumonia	-	-	1	1
Echinococcosis	-	-	-	5
Cysticercosis (C.bovis)				
(a) Rejected	-	-	3	5
(b) Refrigerated	6	-	3	-
Tumours	-	1	-	2
Bruising	2	34	12	-
Emaciation	11	-	11	-
Other conditions Various	4	16	12	109
CALVES				
Congenital Tuberculosis	-	-	-	-
Tuberculosis	-	-	-	-
Septicaemic conditions	3		3	
Joint-ill or Navel-ill	1	1	1	1
Bruising	4	3	4	1
Emaciation	4	-	4	-
Immaturity	5	-	5	-
Other conditions	14	8	11	25

	CONDEMNATIONS			
	CARCASES		OFFAL	
	Total	Partial	Total	Partial
	1	2	3	4
PIGS				
Swine Fever	-	-	-	-
Swine erysipelas	5	2	5	-
Tuberculosis	7	120	12	59
Septicaemic conditions	1		1	
Pneumonia and/or Pleurisy	1	2	327	845
Pyaemia	3	-	3	-
Arthritis	1	48	-	4
Abscess	4	35	9	10
Echinococcosis	-	-	-	49
Ascariasis	-	-	195	721
Bruising	1	21	2	-
Other Conditions Various	12	15	37	936
SHEEP				
Septicaemic conditions	4		7	
Pyaemia	2	2	2	-
Pneumonia and/or Pleurisy	2	22	32	257
Arthritis	1	12	5	4
Parasitic pneumonia	-	-	-	-
Fascioliasis	-	-	184	1,138
Cysticercus ovis	-	-	-	-
Echinococcosis	-	1	10	166
Bruising	2	15	2	2
Emaciation	21	-	21	1
Other conditions Various	18	12	26	271

13. Condemnation of Food

The following food stuffs were condemned during the year:-

Corned Beef	57 lbs	
Flour	28 "	
Meat Extract	17 "	4 ozs
Corn Flour	8 "	8 "
Cereals	4 "	6 "
Sugar	4 "	
Lard	2 "	
Frozen Cod Steaks	1 "	12 "
Blancmange	1 "	7¾ "
Gravy Thickening		10 "
Crisp Bread		8 "
Stuffing		4 "

The majority of the 57 lbs of corned beef were voluntarily surrendered when every food shop in the district was visited following the Aberdeen typhoid outbreak.

Some of the tins carried the correct code number from the South American factories, but were not the correct size. These were sent to the laboratory for examination and it was reported that there was no danger therein.

The majority of the remaining food was condemned in respect of a gross rat infestation of one shop in the district, when during one night a great quantity of the food stored therein was fouled by the rats.

Besides closing the shop temporarily and condemning food which had been fouled rodent control works were carried out.

The frozen cod steaks were condemned as a result of a complaint concerning the smell arising when these steaks were cooked. This matter was taken up with the manufacturers concerned, but no satisfactory explanation could be offered regarding the smell in a small portion of the consignment.

16 Food Premises.

Number of inspections of Food remises carried out during 1964	397
Number of food inspections of Food Premises under the Food Hygiene Regulations	181
Number of inspections of vehicles under the Food Hygiene Regulations	5

Number of informal notices under Food and Drugs Act.

Served.	Complied With
5	2

Number of statutory notices under the Food and Drugs Act

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17 Food Premises By Type

The 161 Food Premises in the district are as follows:-

Biscuits and Confectionary	11	Bread and Confectionery	3
Butchers	6	Cafes and Ice Cream	6
Canteens	7	Cheese Factory	1
Clubs, Licensed Premises	4	Confectionary and Ice Cream	3
Fishmonger	1	General Food	11
General Food and Ice Cream	33	Greengrocery	1
Guest Houses	17	Hamburgers	1
Hotels	17	Restaurants	6
Hostels	17	Honey	1
Ice Cream	22	Inns	24
Inns and Ice Cream	1	Milk	12
Slaughterhouse	1	School and Ice Cream	1

18 Food Premises Registered Under Section 16 of The Food And Drugs Act, 1955

	At 31.12.63	At 31.12.64.
No. of premises registered for storage and sale of ice cream	53	58
No. of ice cream premises inspected	53	58
No. of inspections made.	58	62
No. of premises registered for preparation or manufacture of sausages or potted, pressed, pickled or preserved food intended for sale.	2	2
No. of such premises inspected	1 (a)	1 (a)
No. of inspections made	1	1
No. of premises registered for cooking fish	-	1
No. of such premises inspected	-	1
No. of inspections made.	-	1

(a) Only one premises in use during 1963 and 1964.

The 58 registered premises sell ice cream manufactured as follows:-

Fortes	1
By J. Lyons & Company, Ltd.	33
By T. Wall & Son	23

One premises manufactures and sells ice cream by the Estrella machine cold mix principal.

No ice cream samples were taken during the year.

19 Factories Act, 1961.

240 visits to Factories were made during the year as shown in the following tables:-

1. INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health

Premises (1)	Number on Register (2)	Number of Inspections (3)	Number of Written Notices (4)	Number of Occupiers prosecuted (5)
(i) Factories in which Sections 1,2, 3, 4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities	23	78	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority	11	58	-	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers' premises)	3	104	-	-
Total	37	240	-	-

2. Cases in which DEFECTS were found

Particulars (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found: Found (2)	Remedied (3)	To H.M. Inspector (4)	Referred by H.M. Inspector (5)	Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (6)
Want of cleanliness (S.1)	1	1	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature (S.3)	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S.4)	-	-	-	-	-

FACTORIES IN WHICH DEFECTS WERE FOUND.	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted
			Referred		
Particulars (1)	Found (2)	Remedied (3)	To H.M. Inspector (4)	To H.M. Inspector (5)	(6)
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6)	-	1	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective	-	-	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Outwork)	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1	2	-	-	-

OUTWORK	Section 133			Section 134		
Nature of Work.	No. of out-workers in August list required by Sec. 133 (1) (c).	No. of Cases of default in sending lists to the Council.	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists.	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises.	Notices served.	Prosecutions.
Nets other than wire nets.	95	-	-	-	-	-
Total.	95	-	-	-	-	-

20. IMPROVEMENT GRANTS

162 visits in connection with Improvement Grants were made during 1964 and the details of both Discretionary and Standard Grant applications received during the year and of applications dealt with prior to the 1st of January, 1964 are as follows:-

	Discretionary Grants Commenced June, 1951			Standard Grants Commenced July, 1959		
	Up to 31.12.63	During 1964	Total	Up to 31.12.63	During 1964	Total
No. of applications received	184	12	196	161	30	191
No. of applications approved	149	12	161	148	29	177
No. of applications refused	11	-	11	4	1	5
No. of applications withdrawn	24	-	24	9	-	9
No. of applications under consideration	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. of separate dwellings in approved applications	181	19	200	148	29	177
Value of Grants approved	£56,275	£6,788	£63,063	£20,420	£4,018	£24,438
No. of dwellings completed	158	21	179	104	31	135
Value of grants paid on completed schemes	£48,151	£14,185	£62,336	£12,967	£2,986	£15,953 (i)

(i) This figure relates to the 133 dwellings completed in respect of which grant-aid has been paid.

The Housing Act of 1964 came into operation during the year and amended the two schemes, in the case of Discretionary Grants where a conversion of a dwelling of three or more stories is proposed the Council may approve a grant of half the cost of the works subject to an upper limit of £500 for each dwelling to be provided, instead of £400 per dwelling.

The amendment to the Standard Grant scheme was somewhat more extensive and one effect was to further sub-divide the five standard amenities so that for example, a grant could be obtained in respect of a hot and cold water supply to a wash hand basin, even though a hot and cold water supply already existed in respect of the bath and the kitchen sink, but the two main alterations to the Standard Grant scheme were:

(a) The amendment whereby only three of the five amenities can be provided

20. Improvement Grants (Cont.)

where it is not reasonably practicable to provide all five and in this case the amenities which may be omitted are fixed bath or shower, a wash hand basin and a hot and cold water supply to the bath or shower or wash hand basin or any of these amenities.

(b) The increase of the upper limit of £155 to £355 or half the cost of the works in accordance with the builder's estimates where the Improvement Scheme includes

(1) The provision of a bathroom by building a new structure or by converting an out-building attached to the dwelling.
(2) The installation of a water closet and septic tank drainage.
(3) The bringing of a piped supply of cold water into the dwelling for the first time, or any one or more of these.

For the first time the Housing Act, 1964 allowed the architect's fees to rank for Standard Grant aid.

The Ministry of Housing and Local Government kindly loaned their mobile exhibition during the last week of August and this was stationed on a site adjacent to the Council's exhibition marquee at the Melplash Show, in addition however, the mobile exhibition had been one day at Charmouth and one day at Burton Bradstock and although the number of visitors in the villages was fairly low the attendance at the Melplash Show was most gratifying.

21. Inspection of Dwelling Houses.

No. of houses inspected for defects.....22
No. of inspections made for this purpose.....72
No. of dwellings found to be in such a state as to be prejudicial to health and dangerous and unfit for human habitation..... 1
No. of applications for certificates of disrepair received ..... -
No. of certificates of disrepair granted..... -
No. of informal notices under the Housing Act served..... 4
No. of informal notices under the Housing Act complied with..... 4
No. of statutory notices under the Housing Act served..... -
No. of statutory notices under the Housing Act complied with..... -

22. Re-Housing

No. of new dwellings completed by the Local Authority during 1964	20
No. of new dwellings completed by private enterprise during 1964	47
No. of new dwellings in course of construction by Local Authority at 31.12.64	36
No. of new dwellings in course of construction by private enterprise at 31.12.64	57
No. of new dwellings completed by Local Authority since 1944	283
No. of new dwellings completed by private enterprise since 1944	505

At 31.12.64 there were 190 applications on the waiting list for housing accommodation.

23. Rural Housing Survey.

During 1964 the final inspection of dwellings placed in Classification IV (those requiring demolition and replacing) as a result of the preliminary survey in 1956 continued and there now only remains 13 dwellings requiring to be finally inspected, one being in Nootton Fitzpaine parish and the remainder in Whitchurch Canonicorum parish.

The state at the 31st of December, 1964 is shown in appendices one and two. Appendix I shows the classification of all of the 3,212 separate dwellings within this district. It is pleasing to know that over 2/3 of these dwellings are now in Classification I and that only 3½ % or 109 dwellings remain in Classification IV. Ten years have now elapsed since the preliminary survey was carried out and almost exactly 500 additional dwelling units have been provided in this district during that time. This figure does not, of course represent new dwellings entirely, for in addition all conversions of properties into, for example flats, are also included and the gross figure is reduced by demolitions etc., carried out over the period.

Appendix II is in respect of Classification IV dwellings only and this Appendix records all dwellings placed in this classification as a result of the preliminary survey of July 1956, or inspected and are classified since that date and shows the result of any action taken.

From Appendix II it will be seen that action has been concluded in respect of 116 or 57% of the 203 dwellings in Classification IV.

24. Overcrowding

No case of overcrowding was reported during the year.

APPENDIX I HOUSING CLASSIFICATION - STATE AT 31st DECEMBER, 1964

PARISH	CLASSIFICATION I Pre.	I Fin.	II Pre.	II Fin.	III Pre.	III Fin.	IV Pre.	IV Fin.	TOTAL NO. OF HOUSES 1963	1964
1. Allington	17	15	22	-	19	2	-	4	78	79
2. Askerswell	17	9	8	-	11	-	-	4	45	49
3. Bothenhampton	249	103	12	1	27	4	-	4	401	400
4. Bradpole	168	132	46	-	24	-	-	6	374	376
5. Burton Bradstock	114	106	34	3	39	4	-	1	284	301
6. Catherston Leweston	4	15	2	-	3	-	-	-	24	24
7. Charmouth	224	78	48	1	28	5	-	2	379	386
8. Chideock	137	64	25	2	17	4	-	2	246	251
9. Chilcombe	3	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	6	6
10. Litton Cheney	22	21	20	1	23	2	-	2	91	91
11. Loders	41	33	39	2	45	5	-	6	170	171
12. Puncknowle	42	66	15	3	7	5	-	14	141	152
13. Shipton Gorge	34	38	19	1	8	-	-	6	104	106
14. Stanton St. Gabriel	30	6	2	-	2	-	-	-	39	40
15. Swyre	6	16	6	-	12	-	-	-	40	40
16. Symondsbury	149	49	73	3	36	13	-	36	362	359
17. Whitchurch Canonicorum	105	38	68	1	40	4	12	4	266	272
18. Wootton Fitzpaine	31	21	16	2	33	-	1	5	107	109
TOTALS	1,393	811	455	20	376	48	13	96	3,157	3,212
TOTALS	2,204		475		424		109			3,212
PERCENTAGES	68½%		15%		13%		3½%			100%
Figures at year ending 31/12/63 TOTALS	1,389	747	472	16	365	51	18	99	3,157	
TOTALS	2,136		488		416		117		3,157	
Figures on report of July, 1956 (Preliminary inspections completed.)	1,459		590		475		191		2,715	

CLASSIFICATION IV DWELLINGS

APPENDIX II

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Prelim. Inspections made.	Final Inspections made.	Total Class IV Dwellings.	Inspection by Committee	Proposals invited	Proposals accepted	Proposals carried out	Undertaking made.	Undertaking accepted.
ALLINGTON	4	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
ASKERSWELL	-	8	8	6	5	4	1	2	2
BOTHENHAMPTON	-	14	14	9	9	9	7	-	-
BRADPOLE	-	14	14	14	10	8	6	4	4
BURTON BRADSTOCK	-	8	8	8	3	2	2	-	-
CATHERSTON LEWESTON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHARMOUTH	-	6	6	5	4	5	4	-	-
CHIDEOCK	-	5	5	4	-	1	1	1	1
CHILCOMBE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LITTON CHENEY	-	7	7	5	2	1	-	2	2
LODERS	-	13	13	8	-	4	4	-	-
PUNCKNOWLE	-	25	25	23	17	11	12	4	4
SHIPTON GORGE	-	8	8	8	4	4	3	-	-
STANTON ST. GABRIEL	-	3	3	3	-	2	2	-	-
SWYRE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SYMONDSBURY	-	55	55	53	28	10	8	10	10
WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM	16	10	26	2	1	5	4	2	2
WOOTTON FITZPAINE	2	5	7	5	2	-	-	3	3
TOTALS	18	185	203	156	88	67	54	28	28

CLASSIFICATION IV DWELLINGS (Cont).

APPENDIX II

COLS	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
PARISH	Demolition orders made	Demolition carried out	Clearance orders made	Demolition in C.A. carried out.	Closing Orders made	Action Deferred during lifetime of present tenant.	Purchased or to be purchased by L.A.
ALLINGTON	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
ASKERSWELL	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
BOTHENHAMPTON	1	1	-	-	-	1	-
BRADPOLE	2	-	2	2	-	-	-
BURTON BRADSTOCK	-	-	-	-	-	-	5 *
CATHERSTON LEWESTON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CHARMOUTH	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
CHIDEOCK	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
CHILCOMBE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LITTON CHENEY	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
LODERS	-	-	2	2	-	-	1 *
PUNCKNOWLE	-	1	-	-	-	5	2 *
SHIPTON GORGE	-	-	2	-	1	1	-
STANTON ST. GABRIEL	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
SWYRE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SYMONDSBURY	8	8 ✓	8	-	-	2	3
WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM	1	1	-	-	1	-	1 *
WOOTTON FITZPAINE	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	14	15 ✓	15	5	5	13	12

✓ one not demolished but now a ruin

* and subsequently demolished.

APPENDIX 111

PIPED WATER SUPPLY

	DWELLINGS supplied by					
	Actual dwellings	Water Board	Local Authy.	Others	Total	Percentage supplied
ALLINGTON	79	41	-	-	41	52%
ASKERSWELL	49	27	-	-	27	55%
BOTHENHAMPTON	400	395	-	-	395	99%
BRADPOLE	376	375	-	-	375	100%
BURTON BRADSTOCK	301	263	-	-	263	87%
CATHERSTON LEWESTON	24	4	-	16	20	84%
CHARMOUTH	386	374	-	-	374	97%
CHIDEOCK	251	7	-	178	185	73%
CHILCOMBE	6	5	-	-	5	84%
LITTON CHENEY	91	66	-	-	66	73%
LODERS	171	70	9	-	79	46%
PUNCKNOWLE	152	121	-	27	148	97%
SHIPTON GORGE	106	85	-	-	85	80%
STANTON ST. GABRIEL	40	5	8	-	13	33%
SWYRE	40	32	-	-	32	77%
SYMONDSBURY	359	131	-	44	175	49%
WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM	272	3	-	48	51	19%
WOOTTON FITZPAINE	109	4	-	40	44	40%
TOTALS	3,212	2008	17	353	2,378	74%

APPENDIX 1V.

PIPED WATER SUPPLY

	Est. Popn.	ESTIMATED POPULATION							
		Supplied direct to dwellings			Supplied by means of standpipes			Est. Popn. supplied	Percentage supplied
		Water Board	Others	Total	Water Board	Others	Total		
ALLINGTON	249	129	-	129	-	-	-	129	56%
ASKERSWELL	137	75	-	75	-	-	-	75	55%
BOTHENHAMPTON	943	931	-	931	-	-	-	931	99%
BRADPOLE	1230	1226	-	1226	-	-	-	1226	99%
BURTON BRADSTOCK	612	532	-	532	-	-	-	532	87%
CATHERSTON LEWESTON	31	5	20	25	-	-	-	25	80%
CHARMOUTH	896	867	-	867	-	-	-	867	97%
CHIDEOCK	559	16	398	414	-	-	-	414	75%
CHILCOMBE	14	11	-	11	-	-	-	11	79%
LITTON CHENEY	215	156	-	156	-	-	-	156	74%
LODERS	414	172	22	194	-	-	-	194	47%
PUNCKNOWLE	274	219	46	265	-	-	-	265	92%
SHIPTON GORGE	210	168	-	168	-	-	-	168	80%
STANTON ST. GABRIEL	92	12	19	31	-	-	-	31	34%
SWYRE	91	71	-	71	-	-	-	71	78%
SYMONDSBURY	918	333	112	445	-	-	-	445	47%
WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM	635	5	87	92	-	-	-	92	14%
WOOTTON FITZPAINE	300	11	115	126	-	-	-	126	42%
TOTALS	7820	4939	819	5758	-	-	-	5758	73%